

1. DESCRIPTION OF INTENT: This Request For Information (RFI) is a Market Survey request ONLY, in support of TACOM Strategic Service Solutions (TS3). This request is a Market Survey and not a Request for Proposal (RFP) or an announcement of a forthcoming solicitation, nor is it an attempt to seek potential Offerors to be placed on a solicitation mailing list.

2. TOPIC: The Government anticipates developing a list of labor categories that may be used under TS3. This list may be included in a price matrix to establish ceiling labor rates, even though any price matrix included in a TS3 solicitation is unlikely to include all labor categories that may be used throughout the life of TS3. To standardized the labor categories that may be used, the plan for TS3 Task Orders is to use the Bureau of Labor Statics' Standard Occupational Codes (SOC), [http://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes\\_nat.htm](http://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_nat.htm), and also the Service Contract Act (SCA) Directory of Occupations Edition 5 for Non-Exempt Labor Categories, <http://www.dol.gov/whd/regs/compliance/wage/SCADirV5/SCADirectVers5.pdf>, when possible.

a. Please provide a list of labor categories that your company envisions as potentially necessary to complete the work described in Section C.2 of the Draft "Section C – Statement of Work." The Draft Section C can be found at the official TS3 website: <https://contracting.tacom.army.mil/services/TS3/TS3-RFPwebpage.htm>.

b. Please map your company's labor category to the SOC and/or to the SCA Directory of Occupations. An example of this is if your company uses a Logistic Analyst position; the Standard Occupational Code is 13-1081 and the category title is Logistician. It is acceptable to submit a response that does not include mapping of all labor categories to SOC or SCA Directory of Occupations, but those labor categories may be less likely to be included in any Price Matrix released.

c. If you include different levels of experience/seniority (e.g., Logistician I, II, or III), please provide minimum qualifications for each level. For example, a Logistician II may require a Bachelors degree with 2 years of relevant experience.

d. Please provide a short position description for each labor category if it differs from the SOC description.

e. Please provide if each labor category in your list has previously been included in a proposal for a Government solicitation, submitted by your company, for the type of services in paragraph a above.

f. A spreadsheet (Microsoft Excel or compatible) or document (Microsoft Word, PDF, or compatible) in your format is acceptable.

3. RESPONSES DUE: Please provide your electronic response no later than 10:00am Eastern Standard Time on **Thursday, 21 November 2013** via email to the official TS3 mailbox ([usarmy.detroit.acc.mbx.wrn-ts3@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.detroit.acc.mbx.wrn-ts3@mail.mil)) using SUBJECT: "REQUEST FOR INFORMATION RESPONSE."

Only electronic responses are requested. Only one response per company will be reviewed. All interested entities (e.g. companies, non-profit organizations, and academic institutes), regardless of size, are encouraged to respond to this RFI. All material submitted in response to this RFI must be Unclassified and properly marked.

4. No finalized solicitation document exists at this time. Providing a response to this notice is completely voluntary and no reimbursement will be made for any costs associated with providing information in response to this Market Survey or any follow-on RFI. The Government will not rank submittal or provide any reply to interested firms. Information provided regarding TS3 as presented in this Market Survey is subject to change. Data submitted in response to this Market Survey will not be returned.